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**STAR—Today**  
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**DISTRICT MEETING OF ODD FELLOWS BROUGHT TO END WITH A BANQUET**

**Enjoyable Semi-Annual Convention of the Order Largely Attended Here**

**NEXT SESSION GOES TO HANCEVILLE LODGE**

**W. A. Brown, of Nolan Lodge, Fairview, Elected the District President**

The North Alabama district of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows known as "Home District" held one of its most enthusiastic and enjoyable semi-annual conventions in Odd Fellows Hall, Second Avenue, yesterday, beginning at 9:30 A. M. and terminating at a late hour last night. The next convention goes to Hanceville, Cullman County, and will open on the second Tuesday in January 1922.

The election of officers to serve for the ensuing term of six months resulted as follows: President, W. A. Brown, Nolan Lodge No. 562, Fairview; First Vice President Willie Howard, Lodge No. 65, Flint; Second Vice President H. B. Mangrum, Lodge No. 17, Ardmore, Tenn.; Third Vice President J. J. Lovin, Lodge No. 159, Albany; Secretary, Chas. C. Teague, Lodge No. 52, Decatur.

President Brown made the following appointments: Inside Guardian, Clyde Murphee; Chaplain S. L. Kitchens Mills, Laurens county; Warden H. T. Fowler, Lodge No. 17, Ardmore.

**Degree Meeting and Addresses**

Last night's session was devoted to conferring regular degrees and several were initiated. Addresses were made by C. O. Jacobs, of Birmingham, Grand Master for the entire state, and H. C. Pollard, of Huntsville, Grand Secretary for the state. Mr. Jacobs said that it was his understanding, that the entire evening was to be devoted to degree work, and that he had no set address. He contented himself with a review of the work throughout the state, and a forecast for future accomplishments. Mr. Pollard made an extended address, setting forth the fundamental principles for which Odd Fellows stand the world over. He urged each member to carefully perform the duties before him, to full loyalty, and to an observance of "Friendship, Love, and Truth," the three key words of the organization.

**"Banquet Held"**

As the convention came to a close yesterday afternoon following the regular election of officers, the delegates and their families were invited into the dining hall adjoining the lodge room, where twelve tables groaned under their weight of good things to eat. According to Judge F. M. Hamilton, fully 200 people attended the feast. The committeemen, J. F. Lovin, J. W. Rose and Joe Weatherly, who had the work in charge, the good women, of course, did the work, came in for hearty fried chicken, barbecue, roast beef, with many kinds of desert made up the menu.

**Convention Welcomed by Judge Hamilton**

Albany Lodge No. 159 was host to the convention, and it was opened at 9:30 o'clock by Grady H. Wiggins, Noble Grand, who then turned every thing over to the convention. Judge F. M. Hamilton, then delivered the address of welcome, which was responded to by S. L. Kitchens. An address was also made by M. D. Morgan, after which about an hour and a half was consumed with reading and discussing reports. Before the noon recess Grand Master C. O. Jacobs, and Past Grand Master, L. N. Buell, of Cullman made addresses as did A. P. Johnson, Rev. Mr. Glaze and John F. Lovin. The afternoon session was secret and devoted to degree work.

**Aged Storekeeper Beaten and Robbed**

(International News Service) BIRMINGHAM, August 17.—Raymond I. Borsky, an aged storekeeper, was assaulted and badly beaten by an unidentified robber here early this morning. The robber entered Borsky's store, knocked him on the head and rifled his cash register of about \$50. Borsky was unable to furnish details of the assault at noon today. His condition is said to be critical.

## ENGLISH PEACE OFFER TURNED DOWN BY IRISH

(International News Service) DUBLIN, Ireland, Aug. 17.—Eamon De Valera, head of the Sinn Fein government, today turned down the English peace proposal. This action had been foreshadowed in his defiant speech of Tuesday, opening Dail Eirann, when he said that the Sinn Fein government insisted upon an Irish republic and could not negotiate with the English government because it had no principle. There is every prospect that the armistice will be broken off and hostilities will reopen in Ireland before another week has elapsed. Leaders of the Irish republican army declared at the opening of the Sinn Fein parliament that they would not attack the English unless they were attacked first. When the truce went into effect both the Irish and English gave pledges that a reasonable time would be given by both sides if it was decided to end the armistice. English troops on leave of absence are returning to their regiments in Ireland, indicating that the British government believes that fighting may be renewed at any time.

## Doomed to be Roasted Alive, Italian Exposes "Blackhand"

(International News Service) NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Doomed by the British branch of the Camorra to be roasted to death because he knew too much, Bartolo Fontano, safe in prison, today was directing New York detectives to the men he claims responsible for 51 secret killings on the Atlantic seaboard and as far west as Detroit. Fontano, himself, admits several murders. Eight men, alleged members of the gang which Fontano claims is the American branch of the Camorra, which has its headquarters in Italy, are in custody and more arrests are expected momentarily. Fontano was told by a fellow member of the same gang that he had been marked for death as one who knew too much and that he was to be roasted alive in a Brooklyn bake shop. Hoping for safety only in some prison, Fontano notified members of the New York Italian squad that he had information to communicate. He declares the gang is organized here in groups and that they have nearly a half million dollars in cash for the defense of members who are arrested in connection with its murder.

## Post-Season Games Being Talked; Twins May Play the Lindale Team

Local fans already are beginning to look forward to the post-season games in which the Twins, by virtue of having won the first half pennant in the Alabama-Tennessee loop, are bound to participate. The local management also is beginning to plan for the little world's series. If the Twins repeat their victory in the second half and for that reason do not have to play a series for the year's pennant in their own circuit, it is likely that games will be arranged with the winners in the Georgia state or Mississippi state leagues. Already negotiations have been opened with Lindale, winners of the first half in the Georgia state and apparently winners in the second half as well. Lindale, which is used by Atlanta, as a "farm" has one of the fastest teams in Class D. baseball, according to reports. Manager Hernandez, head of the Georgia outfit, is a member of the Atlanta team and plays with the Southern leaguers after the Georgia league schedule is completed each year. The Alabama-Tennessee circuit is booked to end on September 10 with the Twins playing in Sheffield. If one of the other three clubs wins the second half flag it will be necessary to play a series for the pennant. It is understood that Lindale has requested a guarantee of \$120 a day and expenses should the post-season series be arranged with them. The tax looked high to local moguls, but it may be that arrangements can finally be perfected.

## REPORT RECEIVED FROM HUTCHISON UNEMPLOYMENT IS SOURCE OF WORRY

(International News Service) WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Unemployment has reached such proportions that it constitutes a grave menace to the nation unless checked before winter sets in, administration officials said today. Aroused by the reports of Secretary of Labor Davis that there are 5,735,000 unemployed in the United States at this time, cabinet officials have begun consideration of measures to alleviate this condition. Congressional action also may be taken with a view to speeding up the economic readjustment which it is believed is essential to the correction of unemployment. Costs of work done in railroad shops. Car equipment in the United States today shows 23 per cent. in bad order. When shops reopen they will be overtaxed. Mr. Plumb developed his theory in industry operating under corporate control. Speaking of the financial condition of the Carmen, Mr. Hutchison said the following: "Financial reports showed a net balance in various funds, approximately \$3,000,000, which was an increase of almost \$2,000,000 since the Fort Worth convention of 1917. The membership totals 200,000." **SCHOOL OPENS** The private school of Miss Rebecca Leadham will open Monday, September 12. Enrollment of pupils for the term is now in progress.

## HEALTH OFFICIAL RESENTS EFFORT TO REOPEN CASE, SOUTH IS HEALTHY

**Act of Dr. H. S. Cumming Declared by Dr. Welch to be "Unworthy"**

**DENIES AN EPIDEMIC OF PALLAGRA IN DIXIE**

**Alabama Official Bitter in Denunciation of the Federal Authorities**

(Montgomery Bureau Albany-Decatur Daily.)

MONTGOMERY, Aug. 17.—Declaring that the act of Dr. H. S. Cumming, surgeon-general of the United States public health service, in reopening the controversy about pellagra in the South is "unworthy of one who occupies a federal position of trust," Dr. S. W. Welch, state health officer, issued a statement late Tuesday in reply to the state carried in Southern newspapers in Associated Press dispatches Tuesday. Dr. Welch said he was surprised that Dr. Cumming should issue the statement since the conference of Southern health officers in Washington. Dr. Welch said there is no epidemic of pellagra in the south even if the figures made public by Dr. Cumming are true, a fact which he would not admit. He also declared Dr. Cumming should not have started the sensational reports "of famine and plague in the public press" but instead should have called the health officers of the south into conference for a discussion of the problem. Dr. Welch's statement follows: "I was greatly surprised this morning to see the statement in the Associated Press dispatches from Surgeon-General Cumming reopening the controversy on pellagra and relating the mis-statement of facts which had been controverted at the meeting in Washington of the health officers with the surgeon-general of the United States Public Health Service. "His inferences, so far as Alabama is concerned, were drawn from a report of 118 new cases of pellagra all told from January 1, 1921, to June 30, 1921. The people of Alabama are left to judge whether 118 reported cases of any disease occurring in a population of 2,500,000 over a space of six months time creates a problem or justifies the statement that a 'state of famine' exists. "If we admit (which we do not) that everything he claims is true, there is still no problem of any magnitude and it is hard to explain why the surgeon-general has grown suddenly so hysterical over the 'famine stricken South.' It is hard also to explain if it was the South he wishes to serve why he did not assemble the state health officers of the several states and advise them of the threatened danger before springing the 'sensational reports of famine and plague' in the public press. "To those of us present at the recent conference, it would seem that the mainly thing for the surgeon-general to have done was to frankly admit that someone in his office had been guilty of an indiscretion and apologize for the economic wrong he had done the South. Reopening the question through the press after we had returned to our several homes appeals to me as an act unworthy of one who occupies a federal position of trust."

## Gompers Takes Hand in Strike

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, today took a hand in the cotton mill strike at Concord, N. C., when he sent Edgar Wallace, a member of the federation executive committee, to confer with strike leaders and Governor Morrison, of North Carolina, in an attempt to bring about a settlement.

The labor representative will enter a protest against the presence of state troops in Concord. The executive committee of the federation will consider the strike in a session at Atlantic City on August 22 if it is not settled by that time.

## PAYNE DECLARES LIGHT CONTRACT DOESN'T PROTECT CITY, VETOED IT

**Council Asked to Reconsider and Will Discuss Contract Later**

**HOSIERY MILL GIVEN LICENSE EXEMPTION**

**Police Committee Declines to Lift Ban on Sunday Tennis**

The Albany city council, in regular session last night, passed until the next meeting the veto of Mayor E. C. Payne, of the new lighting contract with the Alabama Power company, adopted recently by the aldermanic body.

Mayor Payne expressed the belief that the contract did not protect the citizens as it should and requested that the council reconsider the measure. His written veto follows:

Mr. President and members of the council: The ordinance which you passed at the meeting of your council granting to the Alabama Power company, a certain contract, is in my judgment, unfair and unjust to the people of Albany, for the following reasons:

First: It grants all to the Alabama Power company and nothing to the people who pay the bills. Second: When the franchise was granted to the Alabama Power Co., it was generally understood that the steam plant would be kept in readiness to run, whenever the line from the Coosa river plant might be obstructed. This they refuse to do. A clause should be inserted in the contract requiring them to keep the steam plant "ready to serve condition."

Third: The Alabama Power company make a "demand charge" on all motors. They say that this "demand charge" is necessary in order to enable them to be ready at all times to furnish power and lights. If this is true, and it is a fact that they do make this charge and collect it from their customers, should they not be "ready to serve" and deliver what they take pay for? If for any cause they fail to do this ought they not refund to their customers any damage caused by their failure? This should be provided for in the contract.

Fourth: There should also be a clause inserted in the contract that when the street lights are out, the rebate should be more than the simple cost of the lights when burning. The lights being out is not only a great inconvenience and costly to the public, but is very dangerous.

There is liable to be an operation, at the hospital, any minute of the day or night, and with a patient on the operating table, a life is at stake. This has happened.

For the above reasons I must withhold my approval of the contract.

E. C. PAYNE, Mayor.

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HENRY HARTUNG, Clerk.

**Routine Business**

Other routine business included: President Rahm requested the council to exempt from license the new hosiery mill. The council informed the petitioner that it had no authority to exempt the mill from license charges for a longer period than that to which the aldermen were elected. The mill was exempted from the charge for the time of the present administration and the council stated it was not likely that any difficulty would be experienced in getting the exemption from future councils for a period of ten years.

The police committee gave an unfavorable recommendation on the petition of tennis fans to be allowed to play on the Sabbath.

A resolution was passed authorizing the loan of \$150,000 from a Nashville bank for completing the street work.

Officials of the Leftwich company reported they expected to complete the paving program by January 1.

## WILL LECTURE

Dr. W. G. Henry, pastor of Eleventh Avenue Church of Birmingham, will deliver a lecture on "The Europe that I Saw" Thursday P. M. at three o'clock. He will speak from the front porch of his summer home at Trinity Mountain complimentary to his friends and acquaintances.

## They Fished For Trout—Caught An Owl Instead

Speaking of fish stories—J. B. Cassels and Cliff Nunnester, Both worthy followers of the rod, Went to Swan Lake A-fishing bent. It was dark and They were casting For trout, when A big old owl Decided he wanted The bait himself He tried three times To get hooked Before he Succeeded. But when he did The fishermen Were delighted And are showing Their catch, So they say, To anybody who Cares to look.

## NEGRO'S BODY IS BURNED BY MOB AT AUGUSTA, GA.

(International News Service)

AUGUSTA, Ga., Aug. 17.—A negro's body, believed to be that of Walter Smalley, a negro slain last night in a battle with police, was taken from a hospital here just before dawn today and burned by a mob of armed men.

The charred body was then taken back to the hospital. Smalley was slain by police after he had killed Benjamin Hightower, foreman of a wagon works, where Smalley was employed, and then killed W. W. Moore, a policeman who sought to arrest him.

Eight others were wounded by the negro who, with a shotgun, fought off pursuing police. The city was quiet early today following last night's reign of excitement.

The trouble started, it was said, following a fight between Hightower and the negro. The negro returned to the wagon works where Hightower was manager and killed him with a shotgun. Then Smalley took a position on a bridge, armed with the shotgun, and defied arrest. Moore was slain as he climbed the banks of the canal after Smalley. Smalley's body was riddled by police fire.

## "VOGUE SHOPPE" VERY HANDSOME

With the completion of interior decorations this week, Miss M. E. Harris now has what her friends are pleased to call "the smartest little shop anywhere." The New York Vogue Shoppe has grown from one of modest pretensions carrying only millinery a few months ago, to a "thing of beauty" with its delicate shaded interior decorations, shaded lights and Chinese lanterns, its beautifully decorated show windows, its softly carpeted aisles and handsome stands and counters. In addition to a tasteful line of millinery, Miss Harris now specializes in smart gowns, corset fitting with its own tiny private department, waists, etc. Decatur is justly proud of this new acquisition to Bank street.

## Three Hundred Strikers Return

(International News Service)

CONCORD, N. C., Aug. 17.—Without any disturbance the Kannapolis mills, which have been closed for three months because of a strike, opened here today and some 700 of the 2500 employees returned to their work.

State troops guarded the mill all day but the strike leaders did not send pickets to the mill today. Although Governor Morrison has wired that he will not enter into the controversy, he has called upon strike leaders to meet with him in Asheville today. The strike leaders will make another effort to have the Governor call upon the mill owners to meet the strikers in conference.

## TELEGRAPHIC BID FOR SHOALS WAS FAKE, SECRETARY WEEKS BELIEVES

**Unable to Identify Sender as Official of Alabama Power Co.**

**FORD OFFER BACKED BY RIVER ORGANIZATION**

**Vice President Smith Asks Favorable Consideration by War Secretary**

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—The telegraphic offer for the Muscle Shoals, Ala., nitrate plant, which Secretary of War Weeks received yesterday, probably was a fake, the Secretary said today.

The offer was supposed to have come from an official of the Alabama Power company, but the Secretary said today he had been unable to identify the signer of the telegram as connected with the corporation.

**URGES ACCEPTANCE**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—James C. Smith, vice president of the Mississippi Valley Association, called upon Secretary of War Weeks today to urge that the government accept the Ford offer for the Muscle Shoals nitrate plant.

Smith told the Secretary that his association is convinced that the Ford proposal is most complete and comprehensive and that its acceptance would be a great boon to industry in the South and along the Mississippi.

He said that he knows there is some opposition to the opening of the plant from nitrate interests, but he pointed out that if the plant were operating at full capacity, it would be unable to meet more than 30 per cent. of the nitrate needs of the nation.

Smith, who is a prominent St. Louis business man, gave a dinner last night for 30 members of congress from states bordering on the Mississippi and a committee was formed to work in congress for development of waterways.

**FORD ENDORSED**

(International News Service)

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., August 17.—Resolutions endorsing the offer of Henry Ford for the nitrate plant have been passed by the city commission here. Commissioner John Taylor presented the resolutions and they were passed unanimously.

## Mercy for Blacks Opposed by Tate

(Montgomery Bureau Albany-Decatur Daily)

MONTGOMERY, Aug. 17.—Joseph R. Tate, solicitor of Jefferson county, urged the governor and board of pardons today not to interfere with the execution of John Whiteside and Will Morton negroes, who are held in the death cells for execution Friday for murder and robbery, respectively. Mr. Tate told the governor and board that the negroes were convicted of horrible crimes and that if every any persons should be sent to the gallows for their crimes the two negroes should so suffer.

Whiteside was convicted of the murder of John Bourgeois, an old white man, and a young boy named Murphy. It was a pathetic story which the solicitor told the governor. The bodies of the man and boy were found beside the road. By his side lay two small fish. He had been fishing and had taken the fish from the stream and was accompanying the old man up the road when the negro took the lives of both.

Morton was convicted of highway robbery about the time the wave of highway robbery was at its height in Jefferson county. Solicitor Tate told the state officials there was no doubt that he committed the crime and that his execution would be a deterrent for those who might desire to commit similar crimes in the future.

The cases of the negroes are now before the board of pardons and Governor Kilby will not take action until they have made a report.



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## THE DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE IS OF THE PEOPLE AND FOR THE PEOPLE

As long as much of the taxes collected by the federal government are going to pay for possible wars and past wars, the sentiment of the people will ever be strong for any movement that tends to reduce military establishments. Because this is true, had any politician in the nation opposed the disarmament conference, he would have been committing political suicide. The German republic is now reaping the benefits of disarmament. Without intending it, the Allies saved the German people from a great menace, when they enforced disarmament upon Germany, following her defeat on the battle field. The prime motive, in denying armies and navies to the Germans, was of course to insure the nations of the world against a similar attack by German armies as was made in 1914. And in the second place the Allies could never have hoped to get their indemnity money paid over, had the Germans continued under the sway of a militaristic regime. German disarmament was not intended primarily to benefit the German people; but it has and will benefit them beyond measure. It is said that industries are being rapidly built up beyond the Rhine, and that one of the great causes of this is that the workers see that the results of their labor are to go to pay honest debts and to enrich their country, rather than to build up engines of destruction, and to support future wars.

Here-to-fore the fruits of German labor were consumed upon the altar of Mars. Now thanks to being defeated in war, and put under task-masters, the people of Germany are to be free from military domination. It would seem that the victorious nations, should have voluntarily given up their military establishments; but such has not been the case. In the last few years the cost of military preparation in the allied countries has more than doubled. If \$100,000,000 is actually cut from the naval appropriation, and other minor cuts are made in our military budget as now seems probable, even then our navy will be costing much more than it did in 1913. And as for the victor nation, England, her war taxes are much greater per capita, than taxes in America. It is stated on reliable authority, that in England, the owner of a low priced automobile has to pay an annual tax of \$100 on it. Our taxes, comparatively speaking, are light, compared to those paid in Europe, but there is a strong sentiment in this country against the high cost of government. And the party now in power, is promising lower taxes in the near future. But the people realize in a measure at least, that no material reduction in taxation can be expected as long as we are to maintain a great navy and a standing army. It is because we realize that we cannot carry soldiers on our backs for ever, and be a prosperous people, that the people in all walks of life are deeply in earnest for a reduction in military costs, and it is to the disarmament conference that they are looking for relief.

## ARMAMENT AND COST THEREOF

Read the following pronouncement against armaments. It will reward well, the effort taken to read it:

"Productive labor is staggering under an economic burden too heavy to be borne unless the present vast public expenditures are greatly reduced. It is idle to look for stability, or the assurance of social justice, or the security of peace, while wasteful and unproductive outlays deprive effort of its just reward and defeat the reasonable expectations of progress. The enormous disbursements in the rivalries of armaments manifestly constitute the greater part of the encumbrance upon enterprise and national prosperity; and avoidable or extravagant expense of this nature is not only without economic justification, but is a constant menace to the peace of the world rather than an assurance of its preservation."

## BOOST

Boost your city, boost your friend;  
Boost the church that you attend;  
Boost the street on which you're dwelling;  
Boost the goods that you are selling.  
Boost the people round about you—  
They can get along without you,  
But success will quicker find them  
If they know that you're behind them,  
Boost for every forward movement;  
Boost for every new improvement;  
Boost the man for whom you labor;  
Boost the stranger and the neighbor.  
Cease to be a chronic knocker;  
Cease to be a progress blocker;  
If you'd make your city better,  
Boost it to the final letter.

—Exchange

## UNCLE SAM ACCEPT A HOSPITAL

A hospital which is said to be the finest of its kind in America was turned over the other day for the relief of disabled war veterans, and patients are now being transferred there from government institutions. It is the Speedway Hospital in Chicago.

Its size may be inferred from the statement that there are six miles of corridors in it. The cost was \$10,000,000. It was built with private funds, being intended by Edward Hines, a wealthy lumber man, as a memorial for his son, Edward Hines, Jr., who fell in France. Not the least remarkable fact about the hospital is that Mr.

Hines only succeeded in getting the government to accept his gift after a struggle of nearly three years and an expenditure of \$200,000 attorney's fees.

The ways of Congress are past finding out. Lobbying is usually designed to get something from the government, yet here is a case where long, persistent lobbying was required to persuade the government to accept something which would save it money and which was sorely needed. It is a repetition of the experience that J. P. Morgan had when he offered his London residence to the government for an embassy.

The belated acceptance in the present case, while doubtless pleasing to the donor, is rendered ungracious by the condition which accounts for the hospital's name. That condition is that the institution must not bear the name of the son who gave his life for his country, and whose inheritance now goes to help his living comrades.—Tuscaloosa News.

## BETTER LIVESTOCK WEEK TO BE OBSERVED IN STATE

Announcement is made by the State Department of Agriculture and the Extension Service that "Better Livestock Week" will be observed in Alabama during the week of August 22-27.

During the week a quiet but concerted campaign will be carried on in all parts of Alabama to sell to farmers on the idea of using only good purebred sires.

In putting on this campaign it is the intention of the Extension Service to arouse more interest in livestock, as well as to induce more farmers to build up their livestock through the use of good sires, which is universally recognized as the cheapest and most successful method. Compared with their real value well bred and good individual sires of the different beef and dairy breeds of cattle and the different breeds of swine can now be bought at very low prices, and in view of the fact that livestock must continue to be an important part of farming in Alabama and elsewhere it is thought that now is an ideal time to get started.—Anniston Star.

The trusts and big business interests are doing everything they can to keep Henry Ford from getting control of the nitrate plants and the Wilson dam. Every other interest in the country are for Mr. Ford and want the government to accept his offer. The farmers and every business not controlled by the corporations will be benefitted if Mr. Ford gets control of the dams and nitrate plants here on the Tennessee river. The issue is squarely drawn and the people can see why the trusts are fighting Mr. Ford and trying to keep the government from accepting his proposition. Never before was an issue, in which the vast majority of the people are so vitally concerned, brought before our rulers at Washington. All are watching for the final decision and we do not believe the authorities dare turn down Mr. Ford's offer.—Florence Herald.

Our Congressman, Hon. Ed. B. Almon, made a fine speech in the House of Representatives at Washington a few days ago. His subject was one of vital interest to the farmer and all business men not controlled by the trusts. Mr. Almon's speech is evidenced that he is fearless on all occasions when the opportunity presents itself, defending the cause of the people. The money power has no control over him. He stands for a square deal and justice for all, and his voice rings out in no uncertain tone when the battle is on. Read his speech elsewhere in this issue of The Herald. It is full of information you should know.—Florence Herald.

## IT ISN'T YOUR TOWN; IT'S YOU

If you want to live in the kind of town  
Like the kind of town you like,  
You needn't slip your clothes in a grip  
And start on a long, long hike;  
You'll only find what you've left behind,  
For there's nothing that's really new;  
It's a knock at yourself when you knock your town—  
It isn't the town, it's you!

Real towns are not made by men afraid  
Lest somebody else gets ahead,  
When every one works and nobody shirks  
You can raise a town from the dead.  
And if, while you make your personal stake,  
Your neighbors can make one, too,  
Your town will be what you want to see—  
It isn't the town, it's you!

—Exchange.

Ex-President Wilson's health is reported to have returned to normalcy, immediately upon his hearing of the great honor just bestowed upon his League of Nations.

The Irish and English have barred their proposed agreements to the public; but they have not yet been arrived at. A few more centuries of fighting and fussing may be necessary to cause them to compose their differences.

When Lloyd George gets the Irish-English question settled, he might come over and tell what ought to be done with Muscle Shoals. The latter job however would probably over-tax the resourceful Welshman.

A million and a half dollars worth of whiskey dumped into the Chicago great lakes. At present prices not many full drinks were lost after all.

Good evening; have you been held up?

To keep politics out of post war affairs—when we have another war, let the members of the opposing political parties fight in separate armies, and see which does the best.

When the disarmament conference meets November 11th, the munition makers are liable to start a row for a similar reason as caused the idol manufacturers to create an uproar in Ephesus, the time St. Paul preached against their business.

## OFFICE CAT



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## CONGRESSMAN THINKS

## PROFIT HOGS SHOULD

## BE HANDLED ROUGHLY

So think we all, but merely thinking isn't gonna get us anywhere.

There is only one spectacle more pathetic than handpointed whiskers and that is a woman of forty-or-thereabouts trying to act.

## HAVE YOU CONSULTED WHOM IS WHOM?

Sir: We had been under the impression that possibly the birthplace of Amos Tash and that of the late lamented J. B. were the same. Since you so kindly have shown us that this is an assumption and still desiring to connect in some manner the birthplace of Amos Tash with that of some illustrious person,—would it be an impertinence to ask if the editor of the Office Cat is not a native of the same town in which Amos first saw the light of day? P.K.

"I am against tar and feathers for rent profiteers. Poison—oak is cheaper."

Whenever you hear that a girl has "that indefinable thing called charm," you know that she is pretty hard to look at.

## ATTA BOY!

It is a pity that so many men get a college training without an education—Washington Post.

The paper shortage has played heck with the Leachville, Ark. Cresset. If it is reduced further in size 'twill have to be handled with tweezers.

Being blind is a greater affliction than it was a few years ago.

## WHAT'S THIS?

(Valparaiso, Ind. Messenger)  
Mr. J. S. Casebere entertained the following at a stag party Thursday evening: Messrs. J. M. Morrow, Jay Buchanan, M. E. Dinsmore, O. T. Nichols, and Will Brown.

Ex-Kaiser Wilhelm wanted "a place in the sun," and we hope he's getting it if the weather in Holland is anything like it is here.

The best thing about crying babies, is that when several of them open up at once they all land on different keys. There is music everywhere, if you only know how to look for it.

## POME

Sunset and Evening lights,  
And after that the cool;  
A still hunt, then acid bites  
Of newly-found white mule.

This is the season to say it with pop bottles.

## IN OLD KENTUCKY

A man born in the mountains of old Kentucky is of few days and full of viperousness. He fiddleth, fusteth all the days of his life. He shuneth water and drinketh much mean whiskey. He riseth early in the morn and seeketh the scalp of his grandsire's enemies. His life is uncertain and he knoweth not the hour he may be jerked hence. He riseth in the night to let the howling cat out and it takes nine doctors seven days to pick the buckshot out of him. He voweth vengeance on his enemy and lieth in wait for him on election day. And lo the sexton ploweth a forth-acre lot to bury his remains. Yea is Old Kentucky.

Note to brides: The thing that separates a properly hitched team of horses is the tongue.

## Valuable "Burro."

Undoubtedly the ass was domesticated long before the horse. The latter probably was native to a humid country, but the ass has a small hard hoof adapted to the dry desert. It can get a subsistence from nothing more sustaining than creosote brush. It can eat anything that a man can eat. The domesticated asses of our own West, which are called "burros," will browse on bacon-rinds and other remnants of camp provender.

## Peculiar Racial Resemblance.

There are a great many points of resemblance between the Mongolian and the American Indian. They extend to personal and even religious observances, notwithstanding the fact that the Mongols have long been converted to Lamalism, one of the most exacting and intolerant of religions.

## "What's in a Name?"

By MILDRED MARSHALL

Facts about your name, its history, meaning, whence it was derived, significance, your lucky day and lucky jewel.

## THERESA.

ONE of the prettiest of feminine names which for some reason has always been associated with France and yet is essentially English, is Theresa. It is one of the many feminine names which come from the harvest and its original source is a Greek word meaning to reap or gather in a crop.

The first to bear the name was a Spanish lady, the wife of a Roman noble called Paulinus. Both Paulinus and his wife were devotees of St. Jerome. The name Theresa had great vogue in Spain and is finally found as Teresa on a throne in Leon in the Tenth century.

The most noted Theresa appears in the Sixteenth century when the Roman Catholic church produced the remarkable saint of that name through the Spanish connection of the house of Austria; the princesses of Spain and Germany were frequently christened Theresa.

In France it became Terese through the queen of Louis XIV and Provence called it Terezon. The empress-queen added greatly to its fame, her noble spirit winning all hearts.

St. Theresa of course brought it to England through the Roman Catholic religion, though its vogue there began until after the Reformation.

England also calls her Terry and Tracy; France makes her Therese. She is Theresa in Portugal and Teresa and Teresita in Spain, Italy uses Teresa and Teresina, in Germany she is Theresa.

Theresa's talismanic stone is amber. It promises her good health, wards off evil spirits and warns approaching illness by paling in color. Thursday is her lucky day and three her lucky number.

(Copyright.)

## Kansas Family Problem.

An Emporia family takes the family dog to church once in a while. Last Sunday the dog was tied to the motor car during the services. Every time the choir sang the dog howled. It was a question whether to take the dog away to keep from disturbing the peace or stop the choir to keep from disturbing the dog.—Emporia Gazette.

## A LINE O' CHEER

By John Kendrick Bangs.

## A COMFORTING THOUGHT.

JUST take this comfort unto your soul  
In the midst of your worries and frets;  
The football never could score a goal  
Were it not for the kicks it gets!  
(Copyright.)

## Boxes of Green Lumber Weaken.

Packing boxes made of properly seasoned lumber are found to resist rough handling six to ten times as well as those made of green lumber. The reason as demonstrated by the forest products laboratory, is that the fibres of the moist wood shrink away from the nails as the stock dries, and so lose their grip.

## Just In Passing

## GIVE THEM A CHANCE

In discussing the need of better school facilities a citizen of Decatur has this to say:

"One of the most interesting developments in education is a 'score card for school building.' It was prepared by a distinguished expert in school building of New York City and widely used throughout the country. It grades all the different elements that go to make a good school building, such as material, stairways, corridors, heating, lighting, ventilation, fire protection, water supply, toilets, class rooms, special rooms, location, drainage, etc.

"A building perfect in all its appointments scores one thousand points. If it scores less than five hundred points the experts recommend prompt and radical remodeling or abandonment of the building. How would the school buildings of our people stand in this well known score? Some of them would, no doubt, go beyond the 500 points, but others would fall far below.

"It is stated on the authority of persons who ought to know that there is one old frame building in the city of Decatur, never intended for school purposes but nevertheless used that way, which would not score one hundred points out of the thousand. How long is this to continue? The children are entitled to a fair chance."

## Sure Relief



## BELL-ANS FOR INDIGESTION

First Use of Kerosene.  
About the middle of the Nineteenth century kerosene was used in lamps instead of whale oil, lard, olive oil or some other such oil. The change was the result of the development of the wells in the United States.

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## THE CLANCY KIDS

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By PERCY L. CROSBY

## MOSELEY IN GOOD FORM AND TWINS DEFEAT COLUMBIA BY 5 TO 2 COUNT

Mules' Kick is Felt in But a Single Inning, the Third

KLEIN'S CATCH IN LEFT IS FIELDING FEATURE

McDuff With Eleven Chances and Three Hits Does Big Bit

Moseley bequeathed himself with all the attributes of a winning hurler yesterday and went forth and laid the Columbia Clubbing Clan in the dust by a 5 to 2 score, being aided and abetted no little by the support of his teammates.

In only one inning, the third, was Columbia able to muster sufficient clubbing strength to put over a marker, although more than one Mule was killed outright as he sought feed at the home plate. The passage of the third put the Mules in the lead, but the Twins got it all back with some to spare, winding up a very pleasant evening on the top end of a game which was easy to look at.

One Klein, who is reported to be the property of the Nashville Vols, and who pastimes in the left side of the outer garden for Red Smith et al. brought the inhabitants of the stands to their feet with a sensational catch in the third of a drive off Lauderman's bat. McDuff, with eleven successfully handled chances at short, and three hits, two of them of the extra base variety, also did a considerable bit to the ultimate triumph of the local crowd.

The locals scored before the Mules got harnessed properly. Lewis took first on Lee's miff of his boulder. McClain's infield out sent Lewis to second. He stroled off second and when Smith tried a Hawshaw throw to the sack, Lewis dashed for third. Lee's return to the hot corner went wild and Lewis scored.

In the third Sheppard led with a lucky double down the left field foul line. Lauderman did an extremely unusual thing when he erred on Huxley's offering, Sheppard going to third. Huxley stole second. Cocks was a strike out victim, but Klein singled to left and Sheppard scored, Huxley going to third. Klein started to steal and Huxley was nailed on a perfect return to the plate from McDuff. Johnston threw to second, after Klein had been driven back to first and reconsidering had started again toward second. The throw got through and Klein went to third, from whence he counted on Lee's blow to left. Lee was out stealing.

The Twins again went into the lead in the fifth. Moseley started with a single to left, Lewis popped out to Klein, and McClain forced Moseley at second. McDuff shot a long triple down the right field foul line and McClain rode home. McDuff scored a moment later on a wild pitch.

The locals added a couple of more in the sixth, although the runs were not needed. Gilliland bounced a drive off Cocks's glove and Lauderman bunted another hit to Zemek. Johnston popped to Zemek, but Moseley's sacrifice fly to Flow scored Gilliland

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who had taken third on Lauderman's infield tap. Lewis' poke to center counted Lauderman. McClain whiffed.

The box score follows:

|             | A  | B | R | H  | P | O | A | E |
|-------------|----|---|---|----|---|---|---|---|
| Columbia    | 4  | 1 | 2 | 2  | 0 | 0 |   |   |
| Klein lf    | 4  | 1 | 2 | 2  | 0 | 0 |   |   |
| Lee ss      | 3  | 0 | 1 | 4  | 4 | 3 |   |   |
| Flow cf     | 4  | 0 | 1 | 2  | 0 | 1 |   |   |
| Baker 2b    | 3  | 0 | 1 | 1  | 1 | 0 |   |   |
| Zemek 3b    | 4  | 0 | 2 | 2  | 1 | 0 |   |   |
| Smith c     | 4  | 0 | 1 | 6  | 0 | 1 |   |   |
| Sheppard 1b | 4  | 1 | 1 | 7  | 0 | 0 |   |   |
| Huxley rf   | 4  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 | 0 |   |   |
| Cocks p     | 3  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 | 0 |   |   |
| Total       | 33 | 2 | 9 | 24 | 6 | 5 |   |   |

|              | A  | B | R  | H  | P  | O | A | E |
|--------------|----|---|----|----|----|---|---|---|
| Lewis rf     | 4  | 1 | 0  | 1  | 0  | 0 |   |   |
| McClain cf   | 4  | 1 | 0  | 1  | 0  | 0 |   |   |
| McDuff ss    | 4  | 1 | 3  | 6  | 5  | 1 |   |   |
| Carter lf    | 4  | 0 | 1  | 2  | 0  | 0 |   |   |
| Shelton 1b   | 4  | 0 | 1  | 10 | 0  | 0 |   |   |
| Gilliland 2b | 2  | 1 | 1  | 2  | 3  | 1 |   |   |
| Lauderman 3b | 3  | 1 | 1  | 0  | 1  | 2 |   |   |
| Johnston c   | 4  | 0 | 0  | 6  | 2  | 0 |   |   |
| Moseley p    | 3  | 0 | 1  | 0  | 4  | 0 |   |   |
| Total        | 33 | 5 | 10 | 27 | 15 | 4 |   |   |

|          | A | B | R | H | P | O | A | E |
|----------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbia | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| A-D      | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 5 |

Summary: Two base hits—Sheppard, McDuff. Three base hits: McDuff. Sacrifice hits: Lee, Baker, Gilliland, Lauderman, Moseley. Stolen bases: Sheppard, Huxley, Lewis, McDuff, Gilliland. Pitching record: Bases on balls off Cocks 1. Struck out by Moseley 4, by Cocks 6. Double plays—Gilliland to McDuff to Shelton. Time of Game 1:31. Umpire Luzon.

## How They Stand

|                | Won | Lost | Pct  |
|----------------|-----|------|------|
| Albany-Decatur | 13  | 11   | .541 |
| Columbia       | 13  | 12   | .520 |
| Sheffield      | 12  | 12   | .500 |
| Russellville   | 10  | 12   | .454 |

Results Yesterday  
Albany-Decatur 5; Columbia 2.  
Sheffield 4-1; Russellville 5-4.

## COTTON MARKET TONE IS STEADY

(International News Service)  
NEW YORK, August 17.—At the opening of the cotton market today there was moderate buying of new crop months on report of warm weather in Texas and showers in the central and eastern belt.

This gave the market a steady tone with initial quotations 2 points lower to 2 points higher. Offerings by spot houses were taken by Liverpool and local traders so that by the end of the first 15 minutes the list was about 4 to 5 points net higher.

## Bull Became Municipal Idol

In 1835 a Barcelona bull became a municipal idol, the object of a regular April worship. When he had killed five men and ten or twelve horses, the yard around his stable was thronged with devotees, though his keeper, fearing foul play, would admit no stranger to the interior of the sanctuary. After his last victory, on the festival of San Antonio, the crowd went almost crazy with excitement under deafening cheers and a continual shout of "Bulleros por el toro!" (Cakes for the bull); a libation of reds came down like a shower, and when the victor was dragged out of the gate a young girl who had got a prize in a pantomime, leaned over the balcony, and at the risk of being impaled, crowned the gory brute with her own garland.

## Britain's Bible Towns.

When a man is told to go to Jericho he might ask, "Which?" for there are at least a dozen in the world. On large ordnance maps of England Paradise occurs five times and Nineveh, Mount Ararat, Mount Zion and Mount Ephraim three times each. In the county of Bedford there is a Calvary wood, and in Dorset a Jordan Hill, not to mention the famous Quaker burial place in Buckinghamshire known as Jordans. Hampshire rejoices in a sleepy hollow called Land of Nod. Cambridgeshire has a Noah's Ark, and Worcestershire a Moby's Wash Pot. After that such commonplaces as Hebron, Joppa, Bethlehem, Gilead and Herod pass almost unnoticed. All the same, all are to be found in England.—London Tit-Bits.

## RUSSELLVILLE WINS

RUSSELLVILLE, Ala., Aug. 17.—Sheffield dropped a double bill to Russellville here yesterday 5 to 1 and 5 to 4.

The scores follow:

|              | A  | B | R | H  | P  | O | A | E |
|--------------|----|---|---|----|----|---|---|---|
| Russellville | 4  | 1 | 2 | 1  | 3  | 0 |   |   |
| Jelinek ss   | 4  | 1 | 2 | 1  | 3  | 0 |   |   |
| McLane 2b    | 3  | 0 | 0 | 2  | 5  | 1 |   |   |
| Doyle 1b     | 4  | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0  | 1 |   |   |
| Cochran rf   | 4  | 2 | 2 | 0  | 0  | 0 |   |   |
| Davidson cf  | 4  | 0 | 1 | 0  | 0  | 1 |   |   |
| Lowry lf     | 4  | 0 | 0 | 3  | 0  | 0 |   |   |
| Turner 3b    | 3  | 1 | 0 | 1  | 3  | 0 |   |   |
| Wilson c     | 3  | 1 | 1 | 5  | 1  | 0 |   |   |
| Martin p     | 3  | 0 | 1 | 0  | 2  | 0 |   |   |
| Total        | 32 | 5 | 7 | 24 | 14 | 3 |   |   |

|              | A  | B | R | H  | P | O | A | E |
|--------------|----|---|---|----|---|---|---|---|
| Elmo ss      | 4  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 1 | 1 |   |   |
| Romine 3b    | 4  | 0 | 1 | 2  | 6 | 0 |   |   |
| Underwood 2b | 4  | 0 | 0 | 1  | 1 | 0 |   |   |
| Leroy cf     | 4  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 | 0 |   |   |
| Tilton lf    | 4  | 0 | 0 | 7  | 0 | 0 |   |   |
| Ferguson rf  | 3  | 0 | 1 | 2  | 0 | 0 |   |   |
| Lucas 1b     | 4  | 1 | 2 | 14 | 0 | 0 |   |   |
| Nathan c     | 1  | 0 | 0 | 1  | 0 | 0 |   |   |
| Payne p      | 3  | 0 | 1 | 0  | 1 | 0 |   |   |
| Total        | 31 | 1 | 5 | 27 | 9 | 1 |   |   |

Summary: Two base hits—Cochran, Payne. Three base hits: Jelinek. Home run, Cochran. Sacrifice hits: McLane, WiWilson Nathan 2. Stolen bases: Jelinek, Cochran, Ferguson. Double plays—McLane to Jelinek to Doyle. Left on bases Russellville 4. Sheffield 5. Base on balls off Martin 1. Off Payne 1. Hit by pitcher Doyle. Struck out by Martin 3. By Payne 1.

## Second Game

|              | A  | B | R | H  | P  | O | A | E |
|--------------|----|---|---|----|----|---|---|---|
| Russellville | 3  | 1 | 1 | 1  | 2  | 1 |   |   |
| Jelinek ss   | 3  | 1 | 1 | 1  | 2  | 1 |   |   |
| McLane 2b    | 4  | 0 | 2 | 0  | 3  | 1 |   |   |
| Doyle 1b     | 4  | 0 | 1 | 13 | 3  | 0 |   |   |
| Cochran rf   | 3  | 1 | 1 | 1  | 0  | 0 |   |   |
| Davidson cf  | 3  | 0 | 1 | 1  | 0  | 0 |   |   |
| Lowry lf     | 2  | 1 | 0 | 1  | 0  | 0 |   |   |
| Turner 3b    | 2  | 1 | 0 | 1  | 3  | 0 |   |   |
| Wilson c     | 3  | 0 | 2 | 3  | 2  | 1 |   |   |
| Trotter p    | 2  | 0 | 1 | 0  | 1  | 1 |   |   |
| Acton *      | 1  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0 |   |   |
| Total        | 27 | 5 | 9 | 21 | 14 | 4 |   |   |

|              | A  | B | R | H  | P | O | A | E |
|--------------|----|---|---|----|---|---|---|---|
| Elmo ss      | 4  | 1 | 0 | 0  | 2 | 1 |   |   |
| Romine 3b    | 4  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 3 | 1 |   |   |
| Underwood 2b | 4  | 0 | 0 | 2  | 3 | 0 |   |   |
| Leroy cf     | 4  | 0 | 2 | 0  | 0 | 0 |   |   |
| Tilton lf    | 4  | 1 | 0 | 0  | 0 | 0 |   |   |
| Ferguson rf  | 3  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 | 0 |   |   |
| Lucas 1b     | 3  | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 0 |   |   |
| Nathan c     | 1  | 1 | 0 | 8  | 0 | 0 |   |   |
| Blissett p   | 2  | 1 | 2 | 0  | 0 | 0 |   |   |
| Total        | 29 | 4 | 4 | 21 | 8 | 2 |   |   |

Summary: Two base hits—Wilson, Blissett. Sacrifice hits—Turner, Trotter. Stolen bases: Turner, Davidson, Leroy. Hits off Trotter 4. Off Blissett 9. Left on bases Russellville 8. Sheffield 4. Base on balls Blissett 4. Off Trotter 4. Struck out by Trotter 5. By Blissett 5. Time 1:30. Umpire Thomas.

## Danger in Too Close Shave.

According to the statement of a New York physician, shaving increases the liability of the individual to neuralgia and other nervous troubles of the face, and close shaving of the upper lip each day often has been credited with weakening the nerves that affect the eyes, causing acute eye trouble that disappeared when the mustache was permitted to grow.

## Clean Shave by Lightning Stroke.

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JUNE 30, 1921

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| Overdrafts.....2,015.95                   | Surplus Fund.....161,800.00        |
| Banking Houses (16).....90,500.00         | Undivided Profits.....\$45,122.68  |
| Furniture and Fixtures (16).....36,750.00 | Reserve for Depreciation 16,356.62 |
| Real Estate.....9,792.50                  | Bills Payable.....580,000.00       |
| Stocks and Bonds.....141,244.00           | Redeemments.....23,450.00          |
| Cash and due from Banks.....290,409.31    | Deposits.....2,509,947.01          |
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## NEWS OF MOULTON AND LAWRENCE COUNTY

MOULTON, August 17.—Special.—Mrs. Susan Stubbs was buried in the little cemetery, just south of Moulton, Tuesday afternoon in the presence of a large crowd of friends and relatives. Her death was the result of unusual accident several weeks ago when she and her aged husband went to the "watermelon patch" one morning and as they returned through the stock pasture sat down to eat a melon. Young mules came round where the two aged people were and one of the mules turned suddenly and kicked Mrs. Stubbs in the face and on the head fracturing the skull from that time to her death. Mrs. Stubbs was partly unconscious and at times suffered painfully. Mrs. Stubbs was seventy years of age, a member of the Baptist church, a good mother to her several children and a good wife to her now aged and grief stricken husband. Her home was a beautiful farm about three miles northwest of Moulton.

An innovation in the way of adult schools is being tried in Lawrence county this month through the organization of Miss Sarah E. Luther, director of Exceptional Education, State Department of Education. The work is a very decided one. In many counties that have tried it and it promise to be successful in Lawrence. William Pate, a young student from Auburn and Miss Belser, from Montgomery, have charge of the two schools near Hillsboro, College Grove and Midway; Miss Marguerite Page and her brother, Harvey, of Conecuh county, U. of A. students, have charge at Caddo and the near by Oak Grove school; B. H. Parker has the work at Lindsay Hall, out in the mountains, where during his first week twenty-nine students were enrolled; and Misses Bertha Weatherwax and Etta Lee, of Moulton, have the work co-operating with the local teacher, at Roden, in south of Town Creek.

Next week a representative from the State Department of Health is to visit these schools and in the week following Miss Luther, accompanied by J. F. Yarbrough, expects to go to each one.

Miss Moody, of Birmingham, is the guest of Miss Melba Holdridge this week.

S. B. Osteen, the popular photographer, is visiting home people in Tennessee for a week or more.

Dee Weston from near Enon church and school was in Moulton on business Monday.

As the result of the revival held at Union Hill, a few miles northwest of Moulton, the Baptist congregation had seventy-two baptisms the past week.

The Lawrence County High school faculty has practically been made up and the school will open Thursday, September 1.

Original Protestants. The name Protestant was first applied to the adherents of Luther, from their protesting against the decree passed by the Catholic states at the second Diet of Speyer in 1529. Protestantism spread rapidly over some of the German states, Sweden, Denmark, Switzerland, England and Scotland at about the same time.

Hard Even for the Wise. A fool and his money are soon parted, but nowadays even wise men have a hard time hanging onto their cash.

Lines to Be Remembered. Why don't you show us a statesman who can rise to the emergency and then cave in the emergency's head?—Artemus Ward.

## SOCIETY NEWS

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Mrs. E. A. Orendorf and Mrs. J. T. Vanarsdale entertained jointly with a card party, Tuesday afternoon, at the apartments of Mrs. Van Arsdale on Grant street, complimenting Mrs. Dean McElroy, of Ada, Ohio, who will be pleasantly remembered here as Miss Maymie O'Brien. The apartments were beautifully decorated with cut and potted flowers. The first prize was won by Mrs. C. O. Foote, the second prize by Mrs. J. Hatton and the consolation by Mrs. C. J. O'Brien. Mrs. McElroy was presented a dainty piece of lingerie as a memento of the occasion. At conclusion of the game an ice course was served. Those present were Mesdames C. O. Foote, Otto Meches, J. Hatton, T. Z. Buchheit, Houlihan, E. A. Orendorf, Joe Frahn, McDonald, C. J. O'Brien, Dean McElroy, Misses Margaret Frahn and Alice Hatton.

The boys of the younger set gave a dance Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Emma Pride on Grant street. A three piece orchestra furnished the music and dancing was enjoyed until a late hour. Those attending were: Misses Tollette Buchanan, Christine Almon, Mary Jervis, Lucy Roberts, Margaret Simrell, Mildred Cotten, Myrtle Graves, Sarah Blackwell and Emma Pride. Messrs William Singleton, Earl Parker, Louis Brown, Ferdinand Phinizy, Walter Morris, Donald Humphrey, Robert Powell, Terry Thompson, Damon Blackwell, Dewoody Wilkinson, and Charles Woodward.

Mrs. Frederick Smith and daughter, Katherine, will leave tomorrow to visit friends in Nashville.

Mrs. A. C. Worley and children of Waxahachie, Fla., will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Worley for a few days.

Mrs. M. A. Dinsmore and son, Mack, and Miss Nell Brock, of Birmingham, are guests of Mrs. S. D. Brock.

Miss Rose Keltner is visiting relatives in Nashville.

Miss Maude Odum returned today from a two weeks visit to Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Camp left this afternoon for Atlanta, Ga., to attend the reunion of the Camp family. There will be over 500 members of the family present and among them will be the noted Metropolitan Opera Singer and composer, Sheppard Camp. One purpose of the reunion will be to compile notes for the completion of the Family History.

Mr. and Mrs. Camp expect to visit in Savannah, Ga., and Chattanooga, before returning to Albany.

Miss Kathleen Brock will leave Sunday for Denver, Col., where she will be the guest of her uncle, John L. Brock. Miss Brock also expects to visit friends in St. Louis, Kansas City, Pueblo, and Colorado Springs before going to Ada, Okla., where she will resume her duties as teacher in the English Department of the Ada High School.

Mrs. Houlihan, of Birmingham, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. T. Z. Buchheit.

Mrs. Crow, of Florence, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Hefner.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Tommerlin and little daughter, Opal, have gone to Birmingham to attend the camp meeting.

Mrs. Robert Beachman and son, Homer, are visiting relatives in Ohio.

Mrs. Dean McElroy, of Ada, Ohio, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Happer and son, C. T. Jr., will visit relatives in Courtland this week.

Misses Lorena Ashford and Ruby Britnell have returned from Huntsville after visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Margaret Young, of Cullman, will be the week end guest of Miss Margaret Frahn on E. Moulton street.

Frank G. Cook and family left this morning for Columbus, Ga., driving through in their Cadillac.

Miss Rufie Scott of Cullman is a guest of Miss Gladys Bernard.

Miss Janine Miller is visiting relatives at Austinville.

Misses Maude and Vera Smith and Irene Clem left Monday to join a camping party on the Warrior.

A social item appearing recently in The Daily included among other guests the name of Mrs. Helen Johnson. The Daily is informed that this was an error that she was not present at the entertainment mentioned and for this reason makes this correction.

R. W. Cowart returned Monday from the Columbia University, New York City. Mrs. Cowart and Miss Cowart, who are returning by steamer to Savannah, are expected the middle or latter part of next week.

G. M. Davis, manager of the Southern Express Co. was called to Ooltawab, Tenn., by the death of his mother.

L. K. Wiggins, of Montgomery, is here for a few days.

Fred Stutz, of the Morgan County Health department, has returned from a two weeks vacation.

J. H. Hazelwood will leave today for Hartshorn, Okla., to visit relatives and friends.

S. H. Malone is in Huntsville today on business.

Captain D. W. Walden is very ill at his home on West Moulton street.

J. H. Hazelwood left today for Hartshorn, Okla. He expects to be absent about ten days.

Capt. Dan Walden is seriously ill at his home on West Moulton street.

BIRTH. Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Boswell, a daughter—Katherine Lile.

Megaphones in Oil. We recently read of one of our newly rich paying \$250,000 for an old master and were reminded of a remark made by Robert Henri, the artist, on a similar case. "To a millionaire of that type, you know," said Henri, "an old master is merely a megaphone for his money to talk through."—Boston Transcript.

## LONDON HAS GROWN TOO BIG

Metropolis of the British Empire is Loosely Knit Together, and Confusion Results.

Poor old London is so big that she doesn't know what to do. She has outgrown her administrative clothes and finds that her outskirts are sorely bedraggled. She hopes that parliament will come to her relief, but she has waited so long without anything being done for her and meanwhile has grown so outrageously that parliament is a bit dubious about undertaking the job.

London, you understand, is merely a name, and it may mean one of several things. No railway company sells tickets to London; they are careful to specify the exact station in that vast conglomeration indefinitely spoken of by that name.

There is first of all the City of London, the original London, built around the Tower and walled in for defense, a square mile of twisting streets and alleys, where business houses are built on old churchyards and the ancient church tower rises behind a five-story stone office building. Then there is the London of the 28 boroughs, the County of London, which includes the towns that grew up outside the ancient city. There are also almost innumerable suburbs.—W. K. Kelsey in the Detroit News.

Finest of All Languages. There is no modern language to compare with the ancient Hellenic tongue. There never was a language its equal. As scholars have said, every other speech is a corruption of the Greek.

The ancient Greek is stammering. Other tongues have their merits and defects, but the Greek has all the merits combined and none of the defects. It is the perfection of speech. As a language for affairs it is as direct as the English or Latin; as a language for philosophy it is as good as the German and for science is better; as the language of polite society it is as elegant as the French; and it is more melodious than the best Tuscan Italian. This is no eulogy (eulogy, by the way, is a Greek word, of our own, but a summation of the diets of scholars).—Exchange.

Wise Uncle Jasper. Speaking of women and logic, a Chicago Tribune correspondent is reminded of a remark of his Uncle Jasper after a verbal barrage with Aunt Hepzibah. Flushed with retreat, Uncle observed: "There is only one person in the world, son, who is a bigger dam fool than a woman, and that is the man who tries to argue with her."

China's Great Variety of Trees. China has a greater variety of trees than the whole of North America, and many remarkably handsome specimens are to be seen there. Many of them could be grown in this country with profit.

## NOTICE

Every member of the Woman's Trade Union of Albany and Decatur is requested to be present at the regular meeting Thursday night at 7:30 at Carmen's Hall by order of Vice President Mrs. W. G. Gentry. —Avt. 17-2t

MISS LEADINGHAM will reopen her PRIVATE SCHOOL Monday, September 12 At her home, 720 Line Street A 17-1m Number Limited

## Important Notice to Spencer Class

A special business meeting of the Spencer Class will be held Thursday evening at the Y. M. C. A.

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C. Glen Harvey, Chairman, Campaign Committee

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of Fieri Facias issued out of the Clerk's office of the Morgan County Court of Morgan County, and state of Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I am commanded to make the amount of a certain Judgment recently obtained against Chas. Turner, out of the goods, chattels, lands and tenements of the said Chas. Turner, I have levied on the following property, to-wit:

House and Lot 23, Block 52, Addition 1 of the Decatur Land, Improvement and Furnace Company to Decatur, Ala., lying and being in the County of Morgan, State of Alabama.

Therefore, according to said command, I shall expose for sale, at Public Auction, all the right, title, and interest of the above-named Chas. Turner in and to the above-described property, on Monday the 12th day of September, 1921, during the legal hours of sale at Court House door of Morgan County, Ala., the City of Decatur, Ala.

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## RESOURCES

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Overdrafts.....66.87  
Liberty and Victory Bonds.....70,254.42  
U. S. Bonds.....200,000.00  
Other Bonds.....2,000.00  
Premium on Bonds.....5,315.63  
% Redemption Fund.....10,000.00  
Stock in Fed. Res. Bank.....7,200.00  
Furniture and Fixtures.....16,744.17  
Accrued Interest.....3,037.27  
Real Estate owned.....823.10  
Other Assets.....18,283.50  
Cash and due from Banks.....114,725.13  
Total.....\$904,192.32

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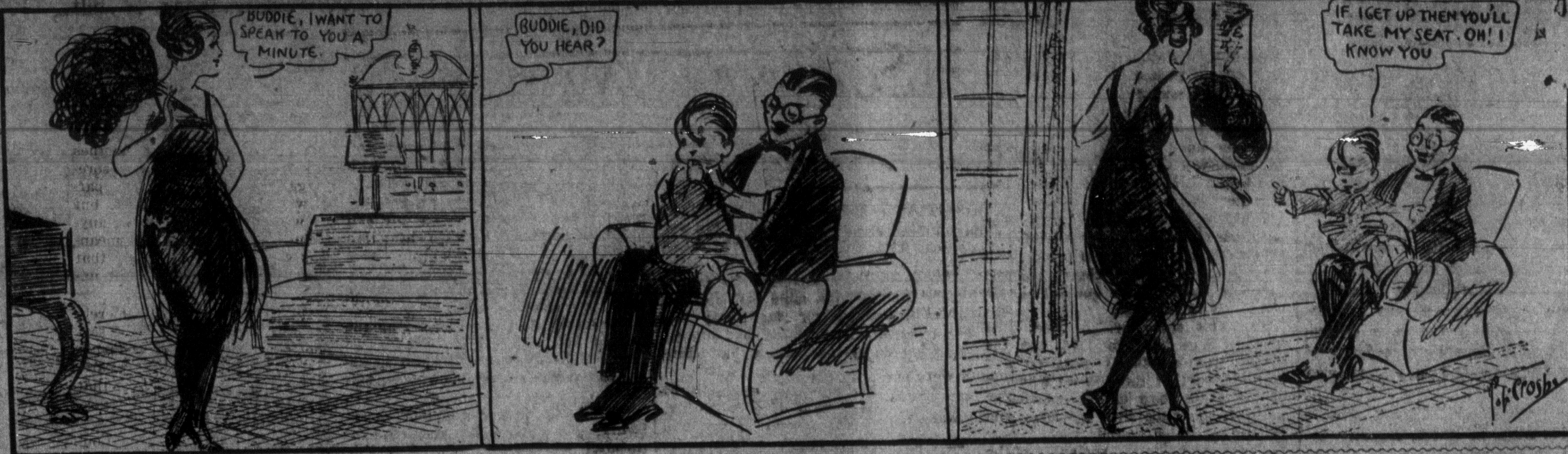
Capital Stock.....\$200,000.00  
Surplus.....40,000.00  
Undivided Profits.....11,424.94  
Dividend Account.....8,062.50  
Circulation.....191,700.00  
Reserved for Taxes.....1,350.00  
Unearned Interest.....4,669.09  
Bills Payable.....15,000.00  
Deposits.....491,955.79  
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**Collegiate Advantages.**  
Nothing creative ever yet came out of a crowd unless it was put there first by individuals and smaller groups. It is friends talking by the fireside who make history; and the choice of friends is perhaps the most responsible job which falls to a student's lot. If college life has no other justification, it is worth while for the leisure it gives you to choose those who will become, you will find, your life's companions.—Prof. A. E. Zimmerman.

**Two Extremes in Human Hair.**  
The two extremes in human hair are that of the negro, flat in section and curly, and that of the Mongolian, which is round and straight.

### Chicago Klansmen Received Into Klan

(Montgomery Bureau, Albany—CHICAGO, August 17.—Details of Chicago's first Ku Klux Klan initiation in which 2,376 men were made members of the order, became known here today. The initiation, conducted with weird rites and much secrecy, was held on a prairie 34 miles from the city while a drizzling rain fell on the white robed figures.  
A procession of 2,000 automobiles carried the Klansmen to the scene of the initiation. More than 7,000 white robed men participated.

**Queer American Custom.**  
Sometimes we get a chance to smile. Americans have been criticizing us for centuries on our treatment of women. But they have no right to do that. A citizen who has just returned from America says that there they keep their girls in the house until they are eighteen or nineteen. They can't go out at all until then. Then they invite all the girls' friends in, and they say that they are going to let her out. When they let a girl out they call her a debutante.—From a Japanese Paper.

### TWINS MAKE TRIP WITHOUT M'DUFF

The Twins will invade Columbia for three games Thursday, Friday and Saturday, without the services of their hustling manager. McDuff will remain here to attend to some pressing business, it was announced today and the team will be in charge of Joe Johnston during the invasion of Tennessee soil.

Eaks or Shelton may be used at short. If Eaks goes to short, Shelton will remain at first and if Shelton goes to short, Eaks will hold down his old job at the initial sack.  
The Columbia games will be the first this year in which McDuff has not participated. He is the only Twin who has played in every engagement of the year.

**Only Two Things to Do.**  
Jud Tankins says a lazy man has to do one of two things—get rich or depend on charity.

## New York Letter

by Lucy Jeanne Price



NEW YORK, August 17.—Seeing the African Jungles through my eyes a six-year-old child is the treat Carl B. Akeley, explorer and sculptor is anticipating with enthusiasm. Mr. Akeley, who will leave next month on his gorilla hunting expedition in Africa, will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bradley, of Chicago, their six-year-old daughter, Alice, and Mr. Akeley's secretary, Martha Akeley Miller. The gorilla is to be captured alive, photographed and put into motion pictures. The party will also collect material for a sculptured group of stampeding elephants, a native lion spearing hunt and various other dramas of jungle life for the American Museum of Natural here in New York. Mr. Akeley was a member of the Roosevelt African expedition and jungles are not new to him; but he believes that watching a child see it will be an experience fraught with new interest.

Justice Hoyt of the Children's Court will probably some day have a statue or a medal or something contributed by school boys of this city. The other day 15 of them desecrated the summer camp at the High School of Commerce by opening a window and going for a swim in the pool in the basement. The scandalized janitor had them arrested, and they were brought before the judge. He discharged them all with the comment that the had more sense in utilizing the pool than had whatever city authorities who had locked them out in the warm weather.

Irving Berlin is the latest writer for the stage to become the owner of a theater. The Music Box, which promises to become the particular joy of this song-writer's life, is nearing completion on West 45th street. Ivy Sawyer and Joseph Santley are the first members to be chosen for the "music box" revue which opens the new theater in September. It is to be produced under the direction of Hassard Short with the assistance of Florence Moore.

There's no use going through all the bother of packing up and finding another apartment and causing speculation among the neighbors—just because you can't get along with your husband—or your wife. So decided Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Baumann, of West New York. They reached the decision nine years ago, that they could never agree on anything except that they were off'n each other. They rest of the world has only just discovered this incompatibility, however, because they simply decided not to speak to each other and to regulate their lives without the slightest consideration of other's plans, and they let it go at that. They've stayed on in the same house. The children are accountable only to Mrs. Baumann and the three boys contribute to her support. "We have got along very well during these past nine years," Mr. Baumann said the other day when the story came out somehow. That's why we intend to keep on living this way. We never speak and rarely see each other and it works fine."

New York City's wealthy groups, with summer homes scattered from British Columbia to the Italian Alps, are coming home to Manhattan to get cool. It is quite the custom in and around New York to remark that "Of course No One is in town in the summer." As a matter of fact quite a goodly percentage of our population sticks around. And enough strangers come to visit us to make up for the one-fiftieth or so decamp with the first breath of June. But this season not even the one-fiftieth is leaving us for long. "It's so hot there we've come back home to get cool," are among this summer's oftest said words from the mouths of these New

Yorkers who feel that it is almost demanded of them that they appear to scorn the city in summertime.

I have lived in New York for—well, quite a few years—and never until yesterday did I find out what the merry that come through the courts underneath the rear windows of your apartment looking for old clothes to buy. It took me one year to learn that much—that it was old clothes they were after. But their words were beyond me. But now I've learned them. It's "Pie cash. Some day I expect to find out why the Battery is called the Battery."

**Much Virtue in the Onion.**  
No doubt he is a prejudiced witness but there may be something all the same in the theory of a large grower of onions that this odorous vegetable has a "kick" which could commend to those who miss their accustomed alcoholic stimulant. It certainly strengthens the breath quite as effectively as strong drink ever did.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

**Tuscan Superstition.**  
In Tuscany, there is a little plant which grows on the walls, whose tiny flowers are of whitish rose color. It is gathered on Ascension day and hung up until the eighth of September; and for those who do this, the Virgin has great favor and will protect them from all evil. If this plant will not blossom while hanging, it is a bad omen.

**Island Has Disappeared.**  
One of the most famous of disappearing islands is Expedition Island, situated off the northwest corner of Australia, and which was visited as lately as 1803. Today it has disappeared, and is now fifty feet below water. The island was thirteen miles long, and famous for its beauty.

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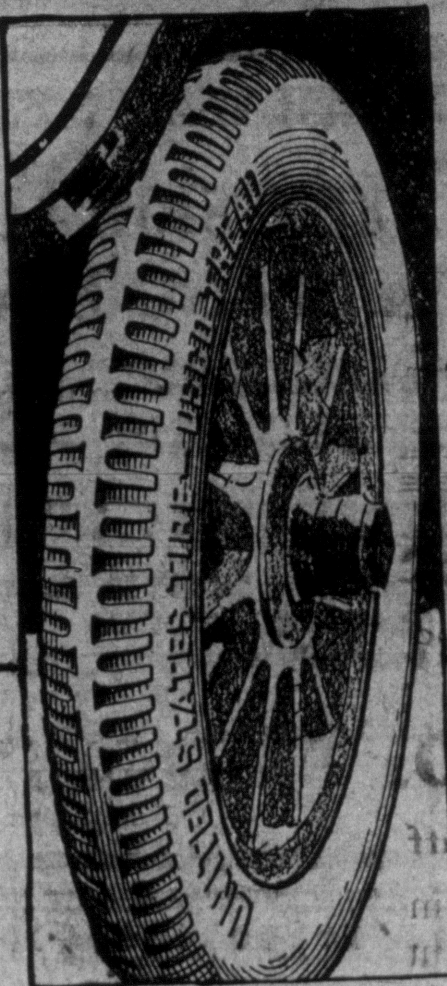
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## DEMOCRATS SPLIT ON TAX REVISION

(International News Service)  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—The  
Democratic membership of the house  
was split today on the rock of tax  
revision. The minority caucus, which  
has been in almost constant session  
since 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon,  
was unable to come to any definite  
conclusion on the tax revision bill re-  
ported by the Republican majority of  
the house ways and means commit-  
tee.

Democratic Leader Kitchen, who is  
ill at his home in North Carolina, in-  
sists that the minority must oppose  
the bill. Many of the members de-  
clare that inasmuch as the bill pro-  
vides for reduction in taxes, they can-  
not vote against or oppose it in its  
entirety.

Efforts to report a substitute bill  
have been of no avail and the present  
indications are there will be a con-  
siderable Democratic vote in favor  
of the pending measure.

The minority party will caucus  
again tonight in an effort to take  
some definite stand on the proposed  
bill but many members gave notice  
they will not attend the caucus.

### CLEMENCY GRANTED

(International News Service)  
MONTGOMERY, Ala., August 17.—  
Governor Kilby today granted re-  
prieves of a week each to John White-  
side and Will Morton, negroes, sen-  
tenced to hang Friday in Birmingham.  
Whiteside was convicted of the murder  
of an aged man and a 14-year-old  
boy last March. Morton is unde-  
fined sentence following his convic-  
tion of highway robbery.

Ancient Armor.  
The ancient armor displayed in the  
Metropolitan Museum of Art forms  
one of the greatest collections of its  
kind in the world.—Brooklyn Eagle.

### FIND RELIC OF OLD LONDON

Arch of Bridge Which Must Have Been  
Built Centuries Ago Just  
Brought to Life.

A very interesting relic of old Lon-  
don has come to light, according to  
the London Times, an arch of old Lon-  
don bridge, which was demolished dur-  
ing the construction of the new Lon-  
don bridge, which began in 1825. The  
arch now discovered is the second from  
the north side of the old bridge, and  
is close to St. Magnus' church. It was  
discovered during some building opera-  
tions now in progress.

The first stone bridge over the  
Thames was built in 1176, but the  
bridge was constantly repaired and  
restored, so that there is no evidence  
of the exact date of this particular  
arch. It was apparently medieval, and  
is built of Reigate stone with a very  
flat trajectory. At the beginning of the  
Eighteenth century, however, three flat  
wrought-iron supporting ribs were  
put in, and the middle one of these is  
dated 1708. The arch is not yet en-  
tirely uncovered, but a springer at each  
side is just being disclosed, and the  
span is estimated to be about 30 feet.  
The under surface of the arch is con-  
siderably waterworn between the ad-  
ded ribs. It is one of the arches close  
to which the mill wheel stood for the  
raising of water into the water tower  
that stood alongside the bridge. This  
arch stood in the river, and is, there-  
fore, an evidence of the limits which,  
as time has gone on, have been im-  
posed on the Thames, the river being  
now much narrower than it was in  
medieval times. It is understood that  
this relic of old London is to be care-  
fully preserved.

### CROWDING THE SEA SERPENT

Old Friend of the Ocean Summer  
Resorts Makes Way for Pirate  
Ship From Russia.

We believe but one sea serpent has  
been sighted so far this season. Per-  
haps it is still a little early, but the  
weather has been hot enough to bring  
our old friend to the surface, and no  
doubt the frightened and delighted  
visitors at shore resorts and those  
who go out to sea in boats for a  
short distance will soon be rewarded  
with a sight of his ugly head or fac-  
inated by the water churned up by  
the swishing of his angry tail. How-  
ever, it is possible, that the sight more  
calculated to thrill will be the pirate  
ship from Russia that is moving in  
such a mysterious way its wonders to  
perform. If this is so, we are certain  
that for every view of the sea ser-  
pent that is recorded on the part of  
credible witnesses there will be 20  
equally credible witnesses who caught  
a glimpse of the new terror of the  
deep, long, low and dark, either just  
before it submerged or at the moment  
it came to the surface to cast its eye  
about for a new ship to capture and  
sink or to drag away the crew in iron  
to Bolshevik Russia. To the elderly  
skeptic who inquired where such a  
craft secured its necessary fuel the  
less critical young woman answered  
that it probably operated by electric-  
ity. What could be more probable?—  
Hartford Courant.

**Flower Worth Small Fortune.**  
Ten thousand dollars is an extror-  
dinary price for a single plant; yet it  
was paid by English horticulturists  
for an orchid raised in America, the  
Cattleya gigas alba.

This Cattleya was flowered in 1910,  
and exhibited at an orchid show in the  
United States, where it was awarded  
a gold medal. The plant was found in  
1909 in a lot of other specimens of  
Cattleya gigas. It was only by chance  
that the plant was not sold for a dol-  
lar or two. The only reason was that  
after most of its companions had been  
disposed of this one, with some others  
that were not in very good condition,  
was set aside. Finally all the speci-  
mens were potted.

To the great surprise of the horti-  
culturists when, next spring, the plant  
came up it was with pure white flow-  
ers. The plant was sold in London  
for perhaps the highest figure that an  
orchid ever brought.

### Apology Needs an Apology.

"Gentlemen"—It came from the lips  
of an attorney pleading a case recent-  
ly before the Supreme court of the  
state of Idaho. In front of him sat  
the judges clothed with their judicial  
dignity, listening intently to the case.  
The attorney had erred. Judges  
should be addressed as "Your honors."  
"Gentlemen"—repeated the lawyer,  
and the tiniest hint of a smile flitted  
across the features of the men in front  
of him.

Suddenly he stopped, realizing his  
blunder.

"I apologize for calling you 'gentle-  
men,'" he blurted out.  
Laughter in a courtroom is not  
deemed exactly proper, but a joke is a  
joke and Chief Justice Rice replied  
simply, "I hope you made no mistake."  
—Idaho Statesman.

### British Museum Overcrowded.

The British museum, says a London  
writer in the New York Post, has  
reached the end of its rope, so far as  
space is concerned. By the law of  
1830 every English author, whether  
domiciled at home or in the dominions,  
is obliged to place two copies of his  
books with the museum, which in turn  
guarantees to keep them in good con-  
dition and make them accessible to the  
reading public. The same applies to  
newspapers. Space for the latter was  
exhausted some time ago and a spe-  
cial barracks was built to store them.  
It is now feared that the same plan  
will have to be adopted for the books.

### "It Beed Her."

Junior and sister were playing in  
the garden when suddenly sister start-  
ed screaming. When mother ran out  
Junior said: "Mother, I guess she  
thought it was a butterfly, but it was  
a bee and it beed her."



### THE SUNSHINE FAIRY.

"GOOD morning," said Father as  
little Henry came into the din-  
ing room, "isn't this a nice, bright  
morning, son?"

Henry did not answer. He jerked  
his chair from the table and slid into  
it with a sudden air for Henry was  
cross because his mother had not let  
him put on his new shoes that morn-  
ing.

"Heavy black clouds seem to be  
bothering you," said Henry's father.  
"Better drive them away or you will  
have an untidy day."

But Henry did not answer. He kept  
his eyes on his plate, and a frown on  
his face, but when he pushed his dish



away from him and spilled the cream  
his father told him to go to his room  
and stay there until the cloud cleared  
from his face.

Henry did not quite understand  
about the "heavy, black cloud," but he  
knew, of course, that he had be-  
haved badly, so he went to his room  
feeling that everyone was treating him  
unkindly.

"Have not got a heavy cloud on my  
face," he said, looking in the mirror.  
Then he drew the shade because some-  
one had once told him that little  
fairies danced in the sunlight when  
it streamed into the room.

"Get out of my room," said Henry.  
"I won't have any fairies in here. I  
don't like girls, and all fairies are

girls. Anyway, I don't believe in  
fairies, only those in picture books."

Henry was very cross as you see,  
and he did not want to see the sun-  
shine, so he threw himself on his bed  
on his back to think over how cross  
everything was that morning.

All at once he heard some one cry-  
ing. It seemed to come from outside  
his window. So Henry jumped up and  
peaked out.

The tiniest creature dressed in sil-  
ver sat on the sill of the window cry-  
ing.

"What are you crying about?" asked  
Henry, who really was a very kind lit-  
tle boy.

"I can't get in to do my work," said  
the little creature. "It is all dark in-  
side and they shut me out. I am the  
sunshine fairy and I have to dance  
when the sun shines and make people  
lucky. But how can I when they will  
not let me in?"

Henry raised the shade and up  
jumped the little fairy and danced  
into the room on the sunshine as it  
streamed in.

"Oh, haven't you any face?" asked  
the little creature, "or is it behind old  
black cloud? Sometimes he does hide  
faces, but I most always can drive him  
away."

Henry went to the mirror, and sure  
enough this time he found that in  
place of his face there was a heavy  
black cloud, through which he could  
see but dimly.

He looked at the sunshine and the  
little fairy had been joined by hun-  
dreds of others who were dancing  
about in the jolliest manner.

Henry forgot all about the cloud as  
he watched them, and presently a  
stream of sunshine cleared away the  
cloud and Henry jumped up, for you  
see he was dreaming all the time he  
had fallen asleep.

The wind had blown the shade and  
into the room came the bright sun,  
but Henry could not find the fairies  
though he looked everywhere.

"They did drive away heavy black  
cloud," thought Henry, "and I do feel  
lappier. Perhaps there are some  
fairies in the sunshine after all."  
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## TROOPS GUARDING ACCUSED NEGRO

(International News Service)

CENTERVILLE, Ala., Aug. 17.—  
Alabama guardsmen guarded the  
courthouse this morning to prevent an  
outbreak of mob violence against  
Clyde Thomas, a negro charged with  
slaying Fannie Lee Wallace, 14 year  
old daughter of John Wallace, a resi-  
dent of this city.

Gaston Wallace, a brother of the  
girl, former Sheriff Charles Oakley,  
Sheriff R. H. Wood and Dr. M. B.  
Laney were witnesses for the state,  
who testified this morning.

Thomas will be taken to Birming-  
ham for safekeeping immediately  
after the conclusion of his trial, it  
was said this morning. State troops  
will guard the prisoner on the jour-  
ney.

## Department Quickly Extinguishes Fire

The fire department was called out  
at noon by a small fire at 805 Grant  
street, caused by a defective flue.  
The building is owned by J. B. Mc-  
Jormack.

### At The "B. R. Z."

Margaret, 8, obliged to spend a night  
with her mother at the Y. W. C. A.,  
awoke to insist upon a drink. Mother  
was compelled for lack of a glass and  
fountain to make a drinking cup of her  
hands. Margaret, very much im-  
pressed, frequently recalled the in-  
cident and several months later as-  
tonished us by asking: "Mother, why  
don't you ever let me drink out of  
your hands like you did that night  
at the B. R. Z.—Cleveland Plain  
Dealer.

### Enough, Anyway.

Donald is the only boy in a large  
family of girls. One day shortly after  
the family had moved into a new  
neighborhood an interested neighbor  
asked Donald how many sisters he  
had. Without thought of being either  
funny or impertinent, Donald replied,  
promptly: "Oh, a whole house full."

### What Man Learns.

Another thing the thoughtful man  
learns after a while as he blunders  
along through this old vale of tears  
and laughter, trying to do the best he  
can under all the circumstances, is to  
distinguish rather carefully between  
the reformers who really mean it and  
the ones who are doing it to make  
their jobs last.—Ohio State Journal.

### Whole Truth About Genius.

A great idea grows like a flower. It  
changes. In its evolution it leaves  
crudity and imperfection behind. It  
assumes a new form, more pleasing in  
its outline and more striking in its  
beauty, as it is molded into a thing  
of deathless energy. An idea which  
is different to all else is a thing of  
wonder—if it is true. It is original  
thought, and this is all that genius is.

### Woodchuck Hard to Capture.

Many woodchucks are caught in  
steel traps, but the animal often es-  
capes by gnawing off its own leg as  
near the jaws of the trap as possible.  
says the American Forester. Some-  
times a woodchuck will put the  
trap down a burrow as far as he can  
go, and sent himself in; if then he  
comes quite a task to unearth him  
and pull him out, for he hangs on like  
an armadillo.

### Iceland Poppies Bloom All Summer.

Iceland poppies are perennial poppies  
from the far north, which will produce  
flowers from seed almost as soon as  
the annual varieties. They grow less  
than a foot high and bear small blis-  
soms of yellow, white or deep orange  
on graceful stems. If cut before open-  
ing, the blossoms keep satisfactorily.  
If dead blossoms are picked off, the  
plants will continue to blossom all  
summer and far into the fall.

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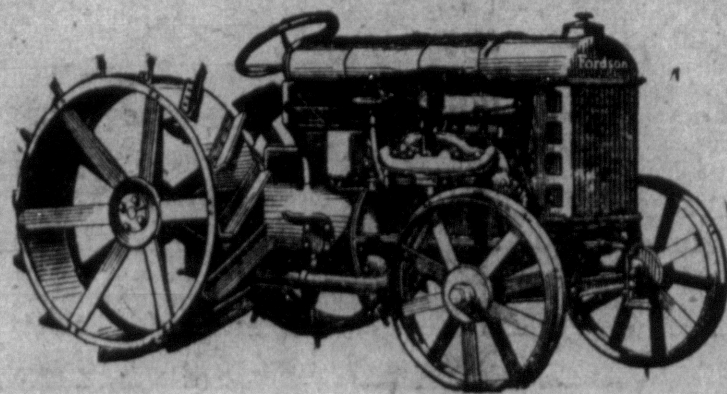
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